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August 8, 2000

Mr. Jeff S. Jordan  
Federal Election Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20463

**Re: MUR 5053**

Dear Mr. Jordan:

I am writing in response to your letter of July 27 2000, which was received on August 1, 2000.

By way of background, HCC Properties Ltd. is a California limited partnership founded by a group of approximately twelve farm families. It was the intention of the owners to provide support for Mr. Dooley by earmarking the contribution to the owners/partners. I am enclosing a copy of our letter of transmittal dated May 8, 2000, for the contribution to the Dooley for Congress campaign, which confirms this intention.

It appears from the enclosures in the complaint that the Dooley campaign entity reported the entire contribution from the partnership, rather than from the individuals as requested.

If I can furnish any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours very truly,

HCC PROPERTIES LTD.

By

  
John Jeter, President

May 8, 2000

Dooley for Congress  
7176 N. Prospect  
Fresno, CA 93711

Gentlemen:

With regard to our recent contribution dated May 3, 2000 to Dooley for Congress, please be advised that HCC Properties, Ltd. consists of several general partners. These partners are: Charles Ahlem, William Ahlem, James Ahlem, Ralph Ahlem, Richard Clauss, Paul Dias, Phil Fanelli, Delton Nyman, Lloyd Nyman, Verna Van Till, Vern Wickstrom, Donnie Sherman, Karen Clauss Tate, Charlotte L. Van Till, Aletha A. Van Till, Mary J. Van Till, Martha J. Lazette, Chris Taylor, Jennifer Avila, C.A. Russell, Kimberly Clauss, and Kirsten Clauss Russell. Please divide the contribution between each partner equally.

Please contact me if additional information is needed.

Sincerely,

LISA SAHLMAN  
Executive Assistant

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